

Mr. Raines met State Senator Patrick J. McCarren on the floor of the House at 12:30 p. m. before the noon hour. The two leaders were surrounded by a group of members for some minutes during which political fanning was in progress. Mr. Raines said he came to Washington to see the President in behalf of a friend, but he would reveal nothing more. He talked over with Speaker Cannon and also spent some time in conference with Republican members of the New York delegation.